

Although I believe in a competitive, free market, I believe that competitor's in the telecommunications industry are demanding to have their cake and eat it, too. SWB and Verizon own the lines and are responsible for their maintenance. These large companies also paid the money to have the lines installed, etc. Competitor's must share in the burden of installation, repair, and maintenance of telecommunication's lines, towers, and other facilities if they are allowed to use them. That is the only fair way to handle this.

If smaller competitor's are not willing to do this, they are basically asking for an undeserved piece of the pie.